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SUBJECT:RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE
SECRETARY FROM ALGERIAN FOREIGN MINISTER BOUTEFLIKA

1. FYI: TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM FOREIGN MINISTER BOUTEFLIKA TO
SECRETARY KISSINGER (ALGERIAN EMBASSY TRANSLATION): QUOTE:
MR. SECRETARY OF STATE, THE CELEBRATION OF THE BICENTENNIAL
OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, WHICH
RECALLS TO MIND AND EXALTS THE IDEALS OF THE REVOLUTION OF
1776 AND YOUR PEOPLE'S ATTACHMENT TO BOTH LIBERTY AND
INDEPENDENCE, PROVIDES ME WITH AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY
TO OFFER TO YOUR EXCELLENCY MY MOST HEARTFELT CONGRATULA-
TIONS AND MY MOST SINCERE GOOD WISHES FOR HAPPINESS AND
PROSPERITY. I SHOULD ALSO LIKE TO RENEW THE EXPRESSION OF
OUR DESIRE TO CONTINUE TO REINFORCE THE TRADITIONAL BONDS
OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE ALGERIAN AND AMERICAN PEOPLES,
WHICH ENABLE THE COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES TO
DEVELOP ON AN EVER LARGER SCALE AND IN MORE COMPLETE
CONFORMITY WITH OUR PEOPLE'S MUTUAL INTERESTS. PERMIT ME
TO RENEW THE ASSURANCE OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION,
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ABDELAZIZ BOUTEFLIKA. END QUOTE.

2. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM SECRETARY KISSINGER SHOULD BE
DELIVERED TO FOREIGN MINISTER BOUTEFLIKA: QUOTE: DEAR

MR. MINISTER: THANK YOU FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE ON THE
OCCASION OF THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR INDEPENDENCE.
ALL AMERICANS WELCOME YOUR KIND CONGRATULATIONS AS WE
CELEBRATE THIS HISTORIC EVENT. BEST REGARDS, HENRY A.
KISSINGER. END QUOTE.

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT
WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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